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Dr. Joshua Lederberg The University of Wisconsin Department of Genetics Madison 6, Wisconsin

Dear Joshua:

When we talked at our house you said "If Kornberg comes to Stanford I'd be on the next plane." It appears now that he will, but what happened to the plane schedule? I hear that you closed the door on Stanford some time back and that they are now looking at several people not at all in the same class. This is too bad. Is there anything I could possibly do that would move you here a couple of years from now? A department of medical genetics in the Med school? A joint appointment with biology? We are moving fast in the right direction and nothing should be impossible. Or are you and Esther now wedded to the cold winters for life?

Met your kid brother at Dan Mazia's one evening and was much impressed.

Cordially,

Avram Goldstein

P.S. Arthur's decision is not yet general knowledge.